

PATENT

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FOR: **Quad Aware Locking
Primitive**

RESPONSE TO MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Communication dated January 18, 2008, Applicants respectfully request entry of the amendment to the claims in view of the remarks that follow.